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Lieut. Chas. Fleming, C.F.A., spent the New Year at the Castle.

Colonel Eric Foulds, C.E., returned on the 1st, an auspicious and welcome beginning to 1917.

A Dance was held in the Racquet Court in honor of the New Year on Monday, 1st inst. A Special Orchestra was brought from St. Leonard's-on-Sea for the occasion and a magnificent supper was provided. Several strange and beautiful ladies, or beautiful and strange ladies graced the occasion with their presence, adding much to the interest of the evening.

General Chambers was called to London for duty at the War Office.

Try Heimrod's Asthma Cure for a cold in the head—4/6 a box. Since then you will use no other.

Col. Morton paid a flying visit on the 28th December to us *en route* to spend the New Year with his friends *via* Faversham.

We read in the Canadian papers that Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Johnston and Lieut. Rip Armour are being feted royally by all their friends.

Xmas was quietly and cheerfully celebrated by the patients at Lympne Castle (*vide* official report). By the way, did anyone see the report sent in by the Commandant to the H.Q.'s? For any information apply (Sir) Sam Hughes, Jnr.

Hon. Mrs. Elmer Jones left for a rest at Margate on the 28th inst. We hope that she will soon regain her strength in the splendid bracing air for which Margate is renowned. We miss her more than we can say.

Xmas Greetings were received with pleasure from three old Luton boys—Corporal Bent, of the 16th Batt., now in France; Lieut. Hill, and Pte. Archie Ross, from Hamilton. News was also received from Corp. Knox who is now safe in Ottawa.

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The inmates of the Castle had a pleasant surprise on Saturday week when Mr. Ted Marsh turned up to spend a week or so here. Mr. Marsh was a very popular Lutonite. He was the Chief Electrical Engineer there and certainly the plant could not have been in the hands of better nor more efficient hands. He is now entering the Army and taking charge of the R.N.S. and D.G.N. at Chatham. Our very best wishes go with him.

Major Balcombe, Col. Reynolds, Corp. Coleman, Blyth and Hall have visited their old home during the last few days to wish us all the Compliments of the Season.

Nursing Sister You-you Millen has returned to Active Service much benefited from her rest at Lympne Castle, and wishes to thank through our columns all persons (especially Mrs. Parrett) who were the means of making her stay here so thoroughly enjoyable.

Lt.-Col. Elmer Jones, of the 21st Canadians, has—we are pleased to have the honor of announcing—won the D.S.O., and we heartily congratulate him and are looking forward to receiving him at Lympne in a few days.

We are pleased to say that Miss Dickey is expected back on the 6th of January. (The Grey Monks are eagerly looking forward to her return and are preparing a reception suitable to the occasion).

NOT ROBBERY.

"Rastus," said the Judge, "you say that you entered the hen-house, and then deciding to resist temptation, left it. Is that right?"

"Dat's about it, Jedge."

"Well, how about the two hens that were missing?"

"Ah tells you, Jedge, ah took 'em, ah reckoned dat ah was 'titled to dat many for leavin' the rest."

(Is this what happened when somebody gave a dinner party at the Lympne Castle Garage?)

QUESTIONS.

Who is the most important person at the Castle next to Mc. Johnny Walker?

How many times does one have to eat mutton before one begins to bleat?

Some don't have to eat it at all to do so.

Who practises telegraphy on the wall of the garage?

One of the guests ask: "When is the slave driver going West, with his whip, to practice on animals instead of plates in the pantry?"

Who is the Welsh girl from Luton?

The one who gives the most "taffy" and other things away.

Do food grumblers ever stop to think that there is a war on? TAKE NOTICE!

Why do the lovers who inhabit this ancient building parade in the corridors and underground passages? "May! would you not like a moonlight walk?"

Who was the gentleman who not only drank Champagne on Xmas night, but also cleaned his lady friend's dress with it?

Who uses shoe polish as a cure for influenza, and beer as a gargle for sore throat?

Cpl. Thompson: Don't you wish you had one like you found when you turned your flashlight on coming up the Westenhanger road the other evening?

FORGOTTEN.

Forgotten you ? Well, if forgetting
Bethinking all of you all the day,
How the long hours drag since you left me
(Days seem years since you went away.
Or hearing all the strange babble
Of voices, now grave, now gay,
Only your voice, can this be forgetting ?
Yet I have forgotten, you say.
Or counting each moment with longing,
Till the one when I see you again ;
If this be forgetting, you're right dear,
And I have forgotten you then.

Forgotten you ? Well if forgetting
Be reading each face that I see,
With eyes that mark never a feature,
Save yours as you once looked at me.
Forgotten you ? Well, if forgetting
Be yearning with all my heart,
With a longing, half pain and rapture,
For the time that we never shall part.
If the wild wish to hear you and see you
To be held in your arms again,
If this be forgetting, you're right dear,
And I have forgotten you then.

Composed by GEN. NICHOLSON and Staff of the Pantry.

The Business Manager arrived safely back to the Castle on Wednesday, December the 27th, and since has been inundated with letters of complaint due to the way the gross mismanagement of this paper during her absence. Owing to pressure of times she cannot answer these numerous letters, but if the writers thereof will call at her office in the Old Tower Schoolroom any time between the hours of 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., and from 2.30 p.m. to 10 p.m., she will grant them an interview. The manager and staff apologize for all mistakes which have occurred lately and promise to give their utmost attention in future to all who have any suggestions to make.

LIST OF GUESTS AT PRESENT AT LYMPNE CASTLE.

NO.	RANK.	NAME.	REGT.	HOME TOWN.
57355	Sergt.	Andrus, W. H. (D.C.M.)	20th Battn.	Port Perry.
704012	Pte.	Angel, W. H.	102nd Battn.	Fort George.
429168	Pte.	Benson, E.	16th Battn.	Vancouver.
410454	Sergt.	Blamey, B....	38th Battn.	Brockville.
466043	Pte.	Blythen, J.	5th Battn.	Edmonton.
83626	Bdr.	Bradley, J. H.	C.F.A.	Brantford.
67511	Pte.	Brennan, G.	5th M.G. Co.	Halifax.
55575	Cpl.	Brooke, H. E.	2nd San. Sec.	Toronto.
105484	Pte.	Broom, R.	P.P.C.L.I.	Regina.
442953	L.-Cpl.	Campbell, R. H.	16th Battn.	Trail.
103307	Pte.	Carey, L.	67th Battn.	Victoria.
40390	Cpl.	Carr, E.	C.F.A.	Bellville.
14008	Pte.	Chiddenton, M.	3rd Battn.	Toronto.
142467	Pte.	Crawford, R.	4th Battn.	Hamilton.
21310	Pte.	Dixon, G.	8th Battn.	Winnipeg.
201784	Pte.	Duncan, J.	4th Battn.	Toronto.
104299	Pte.	Faulkner, D. R.	32nd Battn.	Regina.
308865	Pte.	Fraser, D.	C.F.A.	Winnipeg.
703286	Pte.	Gibbs, W.	102nd Battn.	Vancouver.
447340	Pte.	Giles, F. W.	31st Battn.	Trechu.
77810	Pte.	Grey, B. C. G.	7th Battn.	Vancouver.
700454	Pte.	Harris, W.	2nd C.M.R.	Winnipeg.
424397	Cpl.	Harris, F.	28th Battn.	Brandon.
455919	Pte.	Holland, R. F.	Landsdown	R.C.R.
34294	Pte.	Hughes, W. S.	3rd Battn.	Charletown.
472832	Pte.	Irvine, C.	46th Battn.	Kelfield.
85970	Gnr.	Keith, A. B.	C.F.A.	Havelock.
111276	Cpl.	Landells, J. W.	5th C.M.R.	Sackville.
81765	Pte.	Lewis, F. A.	40th Battn.	Sisson Ridge.
171511	Pte.	McGuffin, R.	2nd Battn.	Ireland.
67323	Pte.	McKinnon, R.	25th Battn.	Sydney.
460227	Pte.	Mills, F. C.	27th Battn.	Winnipeg.
13394	Sergt.	Moir, J. (D.C.M.)	5th Batt.	Kamloops.
469303	Pte.	Murray, P.	25th Battn.	Bayfield.
455069	Pte.	Nicholson, L. L.	5th Brig.	Owen Sound.
457681	Pte.	Parkin, S.	60th Battn.	Monckton.
213238	Pte.	Payne, P.	20th Battn.	Kingswell.
9520	Pte.	Pearce, J.	C.A.M.C.	Toronto.
805646	Pte.	Pearsall, R.	39th Battn.	Orillia.
175034	Pte.	Presley, W. J.	C.M.G.B....	Alton.
136301	Pte.	Ross, A.	21st Battn.	Toronto.
204654	Pte.	Ruskin, H.	92nd Battn.	Wetaskiwin.
414752	Sergt.	Sudbury, J.	13th Battn.	Hastings.
151937	Pte.	Stevenson, H. M.	1st Battn.	Bowsman.
210910	Pte.	Thompson, T. R.	12th Res.	St. Catharine's.
130277	Pte.	Thomson, W.	16th Battn.	Vancouver.
814072	Pte.	Van Blarcon	108th Battn.	Brighton.
477969	Cpl.	Waters, B. R.	R.C.R.	Toronto.
195248	Sergt.	Watson, J. H.	39th Battn.	Peterboro.
129320	Pte.	Whittingham, A.	72nd Batt.	Vancouver.



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Major McLaughlan, of Shorncliffe, visited our offices on Wednesday last and expressed himself delighted with the general appearance and the method by which our business is carried on. He congratulated the Staff and handsomely rewarded them for the trouble they took in showing him over our premises and the intricate workings of this extensive business.

We have this week to report that Miss Val. Jones, our Hon. Secretary, has had to give up her duties and fly to Margate, where she is staying at the Kingscliffe Hotel and undergoing treatment for her nerves. We hope she will soon recover and be able to return and carry on her valuable work here. She has been much missed and it is very difficult for us to pacify enquirers as to her absence. Several gentlemen subscribers have taken her address and are going to call on her at Margate when she is able to see them. (Oh! you beautiful doll!)

EDITOR IN CHIEF'S VISIT TO LUTON, SELLING.

Col. Reynolds, assisted by Mr. Ted Marsh, transported to Selling on Thursday, January 11th, the Editor in Chief, Business Manager, and Sister Dunk. All the printing works were examined at Ashford and then the party proceeded to Selling where they were most graciously received by Mrs. F. Neame and Master Frank Neame. The Editor in Chief called on some of her old friends, Mrs. Dixon and Master Jim Dixon.

We extend to the Staff in the Pantry our heartfelt sympathies in the loss they have sustained of their revered General and friend through the breakdown of his health. Here's hoping he will soon recover.

Any person wishing to join the Limited Correspondence Classes held in the schoolroom can arrange to do so by applying to the Business Manager not later than Monday next. Fees moderate; teas provided; smoking allowed. Special lessons are given in "How to answer Love Letters."

Our London Editor Miss A. Bryon has reported to us some wonderful escapes she experienced during the heavy fogs around Xmas time, she was once or twice nearly killed, but we are glad to say there is life in her yet.

Mr. Lewingdon, late of Lympne Castle, called here on Saturday, Jan. 13th. He was much interested in this paper and has become one of our subscribers.

WITHOUT.

(FROM THE NORTHWESTERN CANDLE).

"The carriage waits without, my lord."
"Without what, gentle sir?"
"Without the left hand running board;
Without the French Chaffeur;
Without a drop of gasoline,
Ten nuts, the can of oil,
The outer coat of Brewster green,
Two spark plugs and the coil;
Without the brake, the horn, the clutch;
Without the running gear.
One cylinder—it beats the Dutch
How much there isn't here!
The car has been repaired, in fact,
And you should be right glad
To find that this much is intact
Of what your lordship had.
The garage sent it back, my lord,
In perfect shape throughout;
So you will understand, my lord,
Your carriage waits without."

Colonel Williams, of the Hermitage, Hastings, visited us on Sunday.

The Commandant goes up to London on Tuesday.

General Chambers, D.S.O., has joined the Royal Flying Corps.

Sapper Fowlds, extra special secretary in extraordinary to our Commandant, left us on Monday half seas over—we mean, for overseas service.

For a first class grouch try grouchers.

The N.S. in charge of this Hospital is "on" to her job (as well as "on" to a good many other things!) Take notice.

Service was held in the Great Hall of the Castle on Sunday. Captain Howie, of Monks Horton, officiated, and Miss Blyth presided at the organ. There were some good voices amongst the congregation and the Hymns were sung with telling effect.

QUESTIONS.

Who plays hide and seek in the wards ?

What is the new game and order Lights Out after tea ?

What did Col. Reynolds say when his little automobile refused to leave Mrs. Rowston's ?

Who says " Give me a chair by the kitchen fire while a certain maiden is making pies ? "

We have been asked by a lady in Hythe, who is Col. Reynolds' new proficient aide-de-camp ?

For full interpretations of dreams call on Mrs. Rosser ?

Ladies can you find in the Castle the wizard who tells your fortune from your tea cup ?

Who is the fellow in the 16th who says " early morning walks cure shell shock ?

What was the attraction in Selling on Thursday last ? Jack's the boy for me.

Why does a certain Corp. keep the lights low in the kitchen after supper ?

Why was a certain girl wearing a very broad smile on Wednesday afternoon when Thomson returned to gather up a few things he had left behind him the day or so before ? " Give me your smile."

Had head-orderly McKinnon a night bell in his quarters ?

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171275	Pte.	Atkinson, J.	2nd Battn.	Toronto.
700603	Pte.	Barnes, H. ...	16th Battn.	Winnipeg.
141161	Pte.	Bell, E. ...	21st Battn.	Hamilton.
429168	Pte.	Benson, E. ...	16th Battn.	Victoria.
431038	Pte.	Bindley, H. ...	3rd Pn. Battn.	Summerland, B.C.
83626	Bdr.	Bradley, J. H. ...	C.F.A.	Brantford.
57117	Pte.	Bragge, C. ...	20th Battn.	Toronto.
215906	Pte.	Brass, A. ...	5th Battn.	Balcarres, Sask.
300886	Pte.	Brewer, W. ...	C.F.A. ...	Montreal.
248523	Dvr.	Burrows, G. ...	C.F.A. ...	Glace Bay.
772715	Pte.	Butler, A. ...	25th Battn.	Brantford.
430646	Sergt.	Byatt, A. ...	3rd Pn. Battn.	Victoria.
213891	Pte.	Campbell, J. ...	87th Battn.	Essex.
477147	Pte.	Campbell, T. ...	R.C.R. ...	Toronto.
103307	Pte.	Carey, L. ...	67th Battn.	Victoria.
140038	Pte.	Chiddenton, M. ...	3rd Battn.	Toronto.
602279	Sig.	Crohn, E. ...	7th Battn.	London.
21310	Pte.	Dixon, G. ...	8th Battn.	Winnipeg.

NO.	RANK.	NAME.	REGT.	HOME TOWN.
69253	... Pte.	Doucette, R.	... 26th Battn.	Rogersville.
201784	... Pte.	Duncan, J.	... 4th Battn.	Toronto.
739371	... Pte.	Edsall, V.	... 36th Battn.	Selkirk.
420398	... Cpl.	Fitzwater, J.	... 16th Battn.	Winnipeg.
426050	... Pte.	Fleming, W.	... 3rd Battn.	Hamilton.
460279	... Pte.	Frizzelle, R.	... 44th Battn.	Winnipeg.
77810	... L.-Cpl.	Grey, B. C. G.	... 7th Battn.	Vancouver.
491232	... Pte.	Hampton, T.	... 1st Battn.	Blenheim.
426978	... Pte.	Hardy, G.	... 13th Battn.	Francis.
424397	... Cpl.	Harris, W.	... 28th Battn.	Brandon.
700454	... Pte.	Harris, F.	... 2nd C.M.R.	Winnipeg.
34294	... Pte.	Hughes, W. S.	... 3rd Battn.	Charlottetown.
472832	... Pte.	Irvine, C.	... 46th Battn.	Kelfield.
91176	... Pte.	Johnston, W.	... C.F.A.	Toronto.
85970	... Cpl.	Keith, A. B.	... C.F.A.	Havelock.
850547	... Pte.	Kushner, B.	... 58th Battn.	Patterson, N.J.
438204	... Pte.	Lewis, S.	... 52nd Battn.	Fort William.
177761	... Pte.	Mayhew, P.	... 1st Battn.	Montreal.
401460	... Pte.	Mantle, S.	... C.A.M.G.	Windsor.
192745	... Pte.	May, H.	... 15th Battn.	Toronto.
796692	... Pte.	McAinsh, N.	... 23rd Res. Battn.	St. Williams, Ont.
158151	... Sig.	McDougall, S.	... 1st Battn.	Toronto.
171511	... Pte.	McGuffin, R.	... 2nd Battn.	Toronto.
67323	... Pte.	McKinnon, R.	... 25th Battn.	Howie Centre.
455266	... Pte.	Melady, J.	... 20th Battn.	Toronto.
460227	... Pte.	Mills, F. C.	... 27th Battn.	Winnipeg.
85151	... Sergt.	Montgomery, A.	... C.F.A.	New Richmond.
38110	... L.-Cpl.	Morrison, A.	... 8th Battn.	Fort William.
469303	... Pte.	Murray, P.	... 25th Battn.	Bayfield.
171351	... Pte.	Nicholls, A.	... 4th C.M.R.	Toronto.
455069	... Pte.	Nickolson, L. L.	... 5th Bde. Sigs.	Gananoque.
425181	... Pte.	Pamphilon, E.	... 1st C.M.R.	Honeywood.
457681	... Pte.	Parkin, S.	... 60th Battn.	Monckton.
132364	... Pte.	Parsons, J.	... 13th Battn.	Montreal.
681221	... Pte.	Price, H.	... 170th Battn.	Toronto.
127151	... Pte.	Roberts, J.	... 15th Battn.	Hepworth.
129294	... Pte.	Robinson, W.	... 16th Battn.	Nanaimo.
136501	... Pte.	Ross, A.	... 21st Battn.	Toronto.
59865	... Pte.	Saxby, H.	... 21st Battn.	Peterboro'.
166885	... Pte.	Slattery, H.	... 2nd Pnr. Battn.	Toronto.
400562	... Pte.	Stafford, A.	... 1st Batt.	Detroit.
151937	... Pte.	Stevenson, H. M.	... 1st Pn. Battn.	Bowsman.
126254	... Pte.	Stickley, C.	... 36th Res. Battn.	Clinton, Ont.
12022	... Pte.	Stroud, T.	... 8th Battn.	Portage-la-Prairie.
177036	... C.S.M.	Tasker, L.	... 87th Battn.	Montreal.
700818	... Pte.	Walmsley, A.	... 16th Battn.	Winnipeg.
477969	... Cpl.	Waters, B. R.	... R.C.R.	Toronto.
129320	... Pte.	Whittingham, A.	... 72nd Batt.	Vancouver.
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The Commandant and Mr. Sandford Fleming spent the week-end in town. They were noticed amongst the Royal Party who attended Westminster Abbey on Sunday, January 21st.

Our Editor in Chief, Miss Joan Fleming, has been confined to her bed with influenza, biliousness, broken-heart, and Ma-sickness. She is improving gradually and we are hoping to soon have her back to her duties.

New Patient, Pte. Piano, arrived on Saturday afternoon. We need to remind ourselves that he has also come here to convalesce and we must not expect him to be always on duty.

Miss LaRose entertained at a bridge party and at dinner on Wednesday afternoon and evening Captains Douglas and Sutherland.

The kitchen is the place to get a glimpse of home-life. How the married patients love to meet in the kitchen! One sees them there talking over their troubles, nursing their sorrows and even lending their knees to the weary ones who have toiled during the day by the heat of the kitchen fires! Lucky toilers!

The Commandant entertained at a rum(my) party on Friday evening last Matron-in-Chief of the Hospital, Mrs. MacDermott, Editor in Chief, and the Business Manager. Ms. MacDermott had the lowest score and won the prize, which was of such a heavy nature that the other guests were compelled to help her to her room with it.

Mrs. Williams of Holly Bush House, Lympne, and her two eldest sons took tea with our Editor in Chief on Wednesday, January 18th. Master John Williams called the following day to present his compliments and best wishes to our Editor and to bid her farewell, as he was leaving Lympne the next day for Hampshire.

Capt. Fitzwalter, of the disorderly Office, has been suffering from an attack of the Grippe. We are glad to say he has recovered and is back at his duties, since it was found necessary to put a relief Orderly at the Telephone and one at the front door to answer enquiries. His recovery was greatly helped by three Ministering Angels who visited him one evening with biscuits and Lemonade???

TO LET.—On Tuesday evenings, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m., one sitting room, well heated and lighted, situated in the Old Tower, fees moderate. The beauty of this room lies in the fact that the lights switch on and off at intervals. For further information, apply Box 201, this office.

Pte. Payne, of St. Leonard's, visited here on Thursday afternoon. He was very disappointed when he found a special lady friend of his on sick leave. He visited this Office and has become a yearly subscriber to our paper.

Little grains of mustard,
Little drops of ink,
Make the pantry floor,
(So Brad says),
Look like a skating rink.

General Nicholson left Lympne on Wednesday afternoon for Faversham, where he received orders from the War Office he was to thoroughly inspect the Munition Factories. His presence was also required at a Military Ball on that evening, fancy dressed. He went in the costume to represent a Maiden's Blush Rose.

Two Canadians met in the North of England, when the following conversation took place :—

Mac.—“ Hullo, Jock, I haven't seen you for ages. Where have you been ? ”
Jock.—“ Why ! I have been travelling all round. I've just come clean from Lympne ! ”
Mac.—“ What's that ? Clean from Lympne ? Impossible ! ”

On a visit to the kitchen last week one was surprised to find everything in a state of celebration. The herrings were “ soused,” the walnuts were “ pickled,” the ceiling was “ plastered,” and even some of the plates had a “ bun ” on.

1st Lympne Castle Patient.—“ Say, do you know MacKinnon at the Castle.”

2nd Patient.—“ Yes. Pretty good fellow too ; he's also very musical.”

1st Patient.—“ Oh ! I didn't know that.”

2nd Patient.—“ Sure ! He knows every “ bar ” from Lympne to Folkestone.”

Q?U?E?S?T?I?O?N?S?.

Will breakfast be at 8.30 a.m. as per usual, please, Ern ?

Has any one seen Granny around the Castle ? Puzzle, find her.

When does the distribution of badges take place ? Here's to one !

Why did a former guest of the Castle return here for a few days while on leave, and was there any pain (Payne) when he left ? Ask Edith !

We would like to ask the same party referred to above, does the boy who shows his affection by working make the best husband ?

Who are the musical guests now staying at the Castle ? The pianist ? and the singers of Sunday afternoon ?

Who is the tall, fine looking man with Brad., pardon, we mean “ broad ” knees ?

Who is the patient who is always at work on the kitchen table ? All morning he is at work dressing jins for the table, while in the evening he may be seen massaging ladies joints for pleasure. Stop your tickling, stop your tickling, Mills !

Why is it that on Fridays now so many of the guests find it necessary to visit the linen-room?

Where did the Commandant get her rare and beautiful flowers from, that decorated her office on Friday night?

Who is the gallant Corporal who undertook to show two of the ladies of the Castle the way to Hythe on Friday afternoon? Who said, "Do drop in to the Dew Drop Inn?"

Is a certain guest at the Castle living up to his motto?—"The best a man can do is to do the best he can."

Why does Sam Hughes and Rod. McKinnon look so sad since the re-organization of the Canadian Forces at Lympne?

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171275	P.e.	A kinson, J.	2nd Battn.	Toronto.
700603	P.e.	B rnes, H.	16th Battn.	Winnipeg.
141161	P.e.	B ell, E.	21st Battn.	Hamilton.
429168	P.e.	Benson, E.	16th Battn.	Victoria.
431038	P e.	Bndley, H.	3rd Pn. Battn.	Summerland, B.C.
83626	Bdr.	Bradley, J. H.	C.F.A.	Brantford.
57117	P.e.	Bragge, C.	20th Battn.	Toronto.
215906	P.e.	Brass, A.	5th Battn.	Bulcarres, Sask.
300886	P.e.	Brewer, W.	C.F.A.	Montreal.
622198	P.e.	Brown, J.	43rd Battn.	Winnipeg.
772715	P.e.	Butler, A.	25.h Battn.	Brantford.
430646	S rgt.	Byatt, A.	3rd Pn. Battn.	Victoria.
213891	P.e.	Campbell, J.	87th Battn.	Essex.
37099	P.e.	Chapman, H.	3rd C.A.S.P.	Toronto.
658083	P.e.	Chapman, T.	35.h Res. Battn.	Halifax.
140038	P.e.	Chiddenton, M.	3rd Battn.	Toronto.
602279	Sig.	Crohn, E.	7th Battn.	London.
124630	P.e.	D nch, G.	39.h Battn.	Winnipeg.
21310	Pte.	Dixon, G.	8.h Battn.	Winnipeg.
69253	P.e.	Doucette, R.	26.h Battn.	Rogersville.
739371	P.e.	Edsall, V.	36th Battn.	Silkirk.
420398	Cpl.	F i zwater, J.	16.h Battn.	Winnipeg.
77810	L.-Cpl.	Grey, B. C. G.	7th Battn.	Vancouver.
9915	P.e.	Guest, W.	3rd Batt.	Toronto.
491232	P.e.	Hampton, T.	1st Battn.	Blenheim.
426978	P.e.	Hardy, G.	13.h Battn.	Francis.
424397	Cpl.	Harris, W.	28th Battn.	Brandon.
700454	P.e.	Harris, F.	2ad C.M.R.	Winnipeg.
34294	Pte.	Hughes, W. S.	3rd Battn.	Charlottetown.

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14682	Pte.	Jenkins, L. ...	13th Battn.	Sydney.
85970	Cpl.	Keith, A. B. ...	C.F.A. ...	Havelock.
441146	Pte.	Knclles, W. ...	R.C.R. ...	Winnipeg.
850547	Pte.	Kuslner, B. ...	58th Battn.	Patterson, N.J.
109004	Pte.	Leman, F. ...	8th C.M.R.	Brantford.
438204	Pte.	Lewis, S. ...	52nd Battn.	Fort William.
177761	Pte.	Mayhew, P. ...	1st Battn.	Montreal.
401460	Pte.	Mantle, S. ...	C.A.M.G....	Windsor.
192745	Pte.	May, H. ...	15th Battn.	Toronto.
171511	Pte.	McGuffin, R. ...	2nd Battn.	Toronto.
67323	Pte.	McKinnon, R. ...	25th Battn.	Howie Centre.
455266	Pte.	Melady, J. ...	20th Battn.	Toronto.
460227	Pte.	Mills, F. C. ...	27th Battn.	Winnipeg.
85151	Sergt.	Montgomery, A. ...	C.F.A. ...	New Richmond.
38110	L.-Cpl.	Morrison, A. ...	8th Battn.	Fort William.
469303	Pte.	Murray, P. ...	25th Battn.	Bayfield.
171351	Pte.	Nicholls, A. ...	4th C.M.R.	Toronto.
455069	Pte.	Nickolson, L. L. ...	5th Bde. Sigs.	Gananoque.
425181	Pte.	Pamphilon, E. ...	1st C.M.R.	Honeywood.
79125	Sergt.	Pamplin, W. ...	31st Battn.	Calgary.
457681	Pte.	Parkin, S. ...	60th Battn.	Monckton.
132364	Pte.	Parsons, J. ...	13th Battn.	Montreal.
681221	Pte.	Price, H. ...	170th Battn.	Toronto.
127151	Pte.	Roberts, J. ...	15th Battn.	Hepworth.
129294	Pte.	Robinson, W. ...	16th Battn.	Nanaimo.
136501	Pte.	Ross, A. ...	21st Battn.	Toronto.
59865	Pte.	Saxby, H. ...	21st Battn.	Peterboro'.
166885	Pte.	Slattery, H. ...	2nd Pnr. Battn....	Toronto.
151937	Pte.	Stevenson, H. M. ...	1st Pn. Battn. ...	Bowsman.
126254	Pte.	Sickley, C.	36th Res. Battn.	Clinton, Ont.
12022	Pte.	Stroud, T. ...	8th Battn.	Portage-la-Prairie.
177036	C.S.M.	Tasker, L. ...	87th Battn.	Montreal.
700818	Pte.	Walmsley, A. ...	16th Battn.	Winnipeg.
477969	Cpl.	Waters, B. R. ...	R.C.R. ...	Toronto.
129320	Pte.	Whittingham, A. ...	72nd Batt.	Vancouver.
177909	Pte.	Williams, J. ...	87th Battn.	Hailesbury.

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A gale of great fury raged at Sheffield on Tuesday morning, much damage was done to the city and outlying districts, a number of beings being unroofed, but Pte. E. Benson, of the 16th Battn. Canadians, returned to Lympne after a short stay in that town with his roof on. Although the gale was not so furious at Lympne several beings were noticed at the Castle with loose tiles.

Pte. Mills has been much missed from his duties during the past week. He has been away on a visit to friends at Portsmouth.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

We have great pleasure in announcing the engagement of Miss Ethel Marriott, of Sheffield, to Corporal E. W. Harris, of the 28th Battn. Canadians, of Bristol, on Feb. 5th. All the inhabitants of the Castle wish to congratulate them and hope we shall have the pleasure of witnessing the wedding.

Sapper and Trooper Fowlds spent the week-end at the Castle.

Miss Dickey entertained at a Bridge Party on Thursday evening, from 8 to 10, Pte. Walmsley and Sgt. Monty. Roses were in profusion everywhere throughout the room.

Pte. Easter, one of our Luton patients, visited us on Sunday. On the same day Corporals Matthews and Hall also visited their old friends at the Castle.

A welcome letter was received by the Commandant from Pte. A. Dickinson, of Hamilton, one of our dear Luton patients, for a long time a trusted and loved member of the staff there. The letter also contained much news and greetings from Pte. Peter Atherton, another dear Luton patient who returned by the same boat to Canada.

We wish to congratulate one of our Luton Buds on taking out his Commission in the London Regiment. Well done, brother Bud!

A number of guests were transported very unexpectedly to Monks Horton on Saturday last. We trust they had a pleasant week-end in the historic mansion of Monks Horton, but we have our doubts. We wish them all the best of luck, they little know how much we missed them. Here's to their speedy return.

We commend Miss Vidal, V.A.D., on her plucky conduct during the loss she has sustained of her youngest son, William Doubletooth.

A fire broke out in the back kitchen oven on Monday morning last. The Castle Fire Engine was soon on the scene and Captain Bradley is to be congratulated on his well-trained firemen, especially was noticed the good work done by Firemen Smith and Marriott.

Do you know we have a tonsorial artist doing business at the Castle now. Pte. F. Harris will interview patients and separate them from their hair (also discharge) any time after inspection.

Bryant and May's matches are supposed to be the best. There is a Bryant (Kitchen) and May (Staff) match in the Castle, which certainly seems to keep up the reputation.

There was a young man named "Ern"
Whose staff their money did earn,
When he laid in bed
With a cold in his head,
"Good old Staff" he was heard to have said.

Captain Shannon was the guest of Miss LaRose on Sunday evening last. He made a tour of inspection and expressed himself well pleased with all that he saw and heard.

For a first-class grouch try "Crouchers."

Lieut. Charles Fleming and Captain Davis were guests at the Castle on Friday last. Lieut Archie Fleming and Lieut. Reggie Way also spent the week-end here.

We sympathize with Miss LaRose in her loss of Friday evening last. Here's hoping that she will have better luck next week-end.

LETTING THINGS SLIDE.

The cold winter came with an angry sway,
And the snow lay white on the ground,
Which Nursing Sister slid down Lympne Castle Hill,
Twisting over and over, round and round,
Finally stopping at the bottom with an awful sound.

To all concerned.—K.R. & O. Chap. 5, Para. 13.—A private soldier must not take upon himself to "bowl out" another private. N.C.O.'s are provided for this purpose. Pamplin says so. We often wondered what they were for.

There were two young ladies from Lympne,
To Folkestone repaired (that's no sin),
But on their return,
Their friends they did spurn,
So any slam that is coming they surely did earn.

EXTRACTS FROM LYMPNE CASTLE LIQUOR REGULATIONS.

Ext. 309.—No one man shall consume more than one bottle of J.W. before 8 a.m.

Ext. 312.—Any man requiring stimulants apply at the Surgery between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. (Don't come earlier, Sister's not up yet).

Ext. 131.—Any man seeing another man in a sober condition will report the same at once to Sam Hughes, Jnr.

Ext. 302.—Men will take notice that the Clink is cold and the cooks refuse to send meals there.

Q?U?E?S?T?I?O?N?S.

Who is the guy sleeping in the laundry who put the 'loc' in the locomotive ?

Who is the girl who haunts the pantry for spoons (silver) ?

Who said unto Samuel, "Take up thy bed and walk" ?

Why were the home-fires burning so brightly last week during the Chief Engineer's absence ?
Which Chap-man exerted himself to this extent ?

Who was the guy who shifted the Canal bank to the Castle and distributed it over the grounds and buildings ? Ask Benson ? Oh ! you stick-in-the-mud !

Who were the two young ladies on Westenhanger Road under military escort, early on Friday morning ?

Who had tooth-marks on her swan-like neck ?

Name the unfortunate photographers visited on Thursday afternoon by two of our guests ?
Wanted. Proof of said visit by ladies in the Castle.

Who hides under the bed ? Leave it to the man with the hard bread !

Why did the Business Manager's Jacob shave off his moustache ?

Does absence make the heart grow fonder of another ? Can the Officer i/c Dining Hall and one of the laides tell us ?

Who is the light-weight champion at the Castle from B.C. who can teach MacKinnon the *Noble Art* of self-defence ? (Benson are you home) ?

Who is the N.C.O. who has risen to distinction and won his spurs ?

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